Grade 9 – Review Grammar – Unit 6a - 45'

A. PHONETICS AND PHONOLOGY

I. Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

1.	A. elevated	B. facility	C. significant	D. initially
2.	A. cooperative	B. anniversary	C. illiteracy	D. considerable
3.	A. complete	B. complain	C. company	D. computer
4.	A. economic	B. electric	C. engineer	D. entertain
5.	A. technology	B. opportunity	C. curiosity	D. information

II. Choose the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the others.

1.	A. yacht	B. chapter	C. manage	D. panel
2.	A. example	B. feed	C. ink	D. inhumane
3.	A. junior	B. humour	C. stew	D. few
4.	A. hall	B. doll	C. chalk	D. forecast
5.	A. remake	B. refund	C. reconcile	D. reproduce

B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

I. Rewrite the following sentences using "It + be + adjective + (of/ for + noun/ pronoun)".

1. The students were unreasonable to complain about the exam results.

_____

2. The shelves are simple to put up.

_____

3. Hung was confident to present his ideas in front of the committee.

_____

4. We were surprised to get the scholarships.

_____

5. She was impolite to criticize him in front of his friends.

_____

6. Anna was brave to spend the night in the old house alone.

_____

7. Such a wonderful performance was interesting to hear.

_____

8. You were very kind to give presents to street children before the new school year.

_____

9. English is necessary to learn now.

_____

10. Our living environment is so important to preserve.

_____

II. Choose the correct answers A, B, C or D to complete the sentences.

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1. Survey findings _____ that the current family remains an important production unit of society.
   A. express B. show C. explain D. record
2. Before 1975 in South Viet Nam, there _____ 3 state universities built in cities of Hue, Saigon, Can Tho.
   A. were B. would be C. was D. used to be
3. Many workers wish that they _____ labour contracts with the companies.
   A. were signing B. sign C. signed D. were signed
4. On arrival at home I (find)_____ that she just (leave)_____ just a few minutes before.
   A. had found – left B. have found – have just left
   C. found – had just left D. found – left
5. We wish that smart boards _____ in our school.
   A. was installed B. would install C. had installed D. were installed
6. The photos by a British diplomat capture the _____ of old bicycles crowded electric trams, the queue to buy goods and lines of barrels waiting to collect water in the 1980s.
   A. minds B. thinking C. ideas D. images
7. After people had asked for scholars' handwriting, they _____ them up during the Tet festival.
   A had hung B. hang C. hung D. hanged
8. The life at that time was very difficult _____ every family tried to buy a branch of peach blossoms to display on the Lunar New Year Festival.
   A. despite B. although C. but D. so
9. We suggest that the authorities _____ street children from following foreign tourists in the downtown.
   A. should stop B. will stop C. stopped D. would stop
10. After they _____ their breakfast, they _____ shopping, yesterday.
    A. have – go B. had had – go C. had – had gone D. had had – went

III. Fill in each blank with the correct preposition.

1. The young birds depend _____ their parents for food _____ several weeks.
2. This job is a lot of different _____ what I'm used to.
3. Most students are interested _____ sports.
4. The teacher divided the class _____ five groups.
5. His breakfast consists _____ dry bread and a cup of tea.
6. Their yard is separated _____ the factory _____ a tall fence.
7. _____ Friday, Maryam wanted to visit the mosque _____ Hang Luoc Street.
8. How long is she planning to stay _____ you?
9. We haven't seen Jane _____ a while.
10. I walked _____ several hotels _____ my way _____ the gas station.

IV. Complete each of the following sentences using the correct form of a verb from the box.

see	**live**	**study**	**already/ graduate**	**work**
forget	**have**	**want**	**sing**	**play**

1. He _____ from high school when we met him.

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2. She got up, _____ breakfast, and left.
3. It was a beautiful morning. The sun was shining, and the birds _____.
4. I was sure I _____ him somewhere before, but I couldn't remember where.
5. Linda walked out of her flat. As she shut the door, she realized she _____ the key.
6. My leg started to hurt when I _____ football.
7. Minh grew up in the countryside, and he in _____ Ha Noi for a few years in the 2010s.
8. When I was a child, I didn't know what job I _____ to do in the future.
9. The fire alarm went off when we _____ a math lesson.
10. My brother _____ when I called him this afternoon.

C. READING

I. Read the passage and fill in the blanks with suitable words.

Being the first and also the oldest high school in Hue, originally Quoc Hoc (National High School) was the school for children from royal and noble families. French colonialists opened this school in 1896 to train those (1)_____ would serve the government. Therefore, at that time, French was the main subject for students. Now it is (2)_____ Hue National High School and is a high-profile school that all students must pass a competitive (3)_____ exam to get the admission.

Established in 1896, after more than 100-year history, the school today is considered the largest and also the most beautiful high school (4)_____ in Viet Nam. This surrounding makes a great picture of red French designed buildings in Harmony with green (5)_____ of a large shady trees and stone benches.

(6)_____ in spring, when "diep anh dao" (a kind of cherry blossoms) is in bloom, the whole picture is filled with pinky dots above red thatched tile. Students often call that (7)_____ of time "Pinky cloud season" and regard it as the most special moments of a year. These are the reasons why Quoc Hoc is also (8) _____ "Pinky school beside Perfume River Bank" in the song with the same name.

Moreover, several Vietnamese (9)_____ leaders have been learning here, including: Nguyen Tat Thanh (President Ho Chi Minh), General Vo Nguyen Giap, Prime Minister Pham Van Dong, etc. In addition, the school is famed for its students who are well-known poets (Xuan Dieu, Huy Can, To Huu, Luu Trong Le etc.), scientists (Ta Quang Buu, Ton That Tung, Dang Van Ngu, etc.), musicians (Tran Hoan, Nguyen Van Thuong, etc.). The school also has students getting high prizes in many international (10)_____.

II. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage.

Seventy percent of people in Viet Nam live in rural areas. Most of these people (1)_____ their living by caring for farm animals like pigs. Other common jobs are crop farming and fishing. For many of these farmers and fishermen, animal and plant waste is still a problem.

Many women and children cook meals using traditional cooking fuels. They also spend many hours (2)_ ___wood and other materials to burn. This process takes time and also uses a lot of natural resources. Moreover, they suffer the same health (3)_____. Cooking was a difficult and dangerous job. The kitchen was smoky, and the black ash would make people cough, and (4)_____ pain in the eyes.

But a biogas system can (5)_____ all of these problems! It can turn animal or plant waste (6)_____ valuable resources – such as cooking fuel, electricity and plant fertilizer. First, an expert must build a system of pipes and tanks. This biogas system contains and manages the decaying process of animal or plant waste. To use the biogas system, a farmer must move animal waste into a pipe with water. These pipes bring the waste to a tank (7)_____ in the ground. This tank is called a bio-digester. Air cannot enter this tank. In this contained environment, natural bacteria decays the waste material. (8)_____ the waste decays in the bio-digester, it (9)_____ two things – biogas and slurry. The biogas rises to the top of the tank.

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The pressure from the gas pushes the liquid slurry into (10)_____. Now people can use both the biogas and the slurry.

1.	A. do	B. look for	C. earn	D. take
2.	A. looking	B. collecting	C. keeping	D. controlling
3.	A. concerns	B. importance	C. businesses	D. involvements
4.	A. bring	B. hurt	C. make	D. cause
5.	A. solve	B. deal	C. match	D. delete
6.	A. to	B. into	C. at	D. in
7.	A. bury	B. burying	C. buried	D. being buried
8.	A. Because	B. Moreover	C. Although	D. As
9.	A. produces	B. brings	C. gets	D. makes
10.	A. the tank	B. no tank	C. the same tank	D. another tank

D. WRITING

I. Finish each of the following sentences in such a way that it is as similar as possible in meaning to the original sentences. Use the word given and other words as necessary.

1. Supporting the victims after the disaster was kind of them.

=> _____

2. Valuing the improved living conditions we have today is necessary.

=> _____

3. Crossing the road without looking left and right was stupid of you.

=> _____

4. Going into the lift alone is afraid.

=> _____

5. Following the instructions carefully is important for all of us.

=> _____

6. Being able to build the country into a powerful one is certain.

=> _____

7. Speaking English with the foreigners is confident.

=> _____

8. Showing us the way to train station was kind of them.

=> _____

9. Using a long stick to get some fruits was very clever of him.

=> _____

10. Finding a parking space in the city centre is not easy for you.

=> _____

II. Write complete sentences, using the words/ phrases given in their correct forms. You can add some more necessary words, but you have to use all the words given.

1. The conversation/ take/ place/ the school's 60^{th} anniversary.

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=> _____

2. Our grandparents/ use/ live in an extended family.

=> _____

3. Because/ it explain/ a lot about how the school/ in the past.

=> _____

4. The roof/ made of tiles/ some tiles were broken./ The window frames/ made of wood/ some of them were missing.

=> _____

5. They/ learn that they/ lucky/ have/ such great learning facilities/ nowadays.

=> _____

6. My mother/ a sympathetic woman./ She always care/ how/ we feel.

=> _____

7. The boys/ willing to do/ what you want/ to./ They/ really obedient.

=> _____

8. Having students/ work/ groups,/ she hoped/ they could learn/ be cooperative.

=> _____

9. She/ tolerant with/ children even when/ they/ misbehave.

=> _____

10. Nowadays/ the nuclear family/ becoming more common/ the cities.

=> _____

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