

15- minutes Test

1. **Choose the best answer to complete each of the following sentences. (Điền A, B, C, D).**

1. Nam helped his parents... the rice onto the buffalo-drawn cart.
A. load B. collect C. dry D. ride
2. In Emi's opinion, city life is ...more than country life.
A. friendly B. exciting C. natural D. peaceful
3. The sky is here in the countryside because there are no buildings to block the view.
A. tidy B. close C. dense D. vast
4. Look! Some children are... the buffaloes.
A. picking B. playing C. driving D. herding
5. Viet plays the guitarthan Phong does.
A. more goodly B. more well C. better D. gooder
6. Medical help is.....easily obtained in remote areas than in towns.
A. more B. fewer C. less D. higher
7. Today Peter gets up..... than he did yesterday.
A. earlier B. more early C. more earlily D. more earlier
8. He seems to be than we thought.
A. more quick B. more quickly C. quicklier D. quicker
9. The wind is blowing.....than it did last night.
A. stronger B. more strongly. C. stronglier D. more stronger
10. Is living in the city than living in the country?
A. more convenient B. as convenient
C. most convenient D. so convenient

II. Choose the correct word A, B, C or D for each gap to complete the following passage. (Điền A, B, C, D).

My parents are farmers. They work very (1) on the paddy fields. They usually get (2) very early in the morning. After (3) breakfast, they feed the buffaloes, pigs, chickens, ducks and they (4) the eggs. From about eight, they work on the fields. They (5) rice but their main (6) is vegetables. From eleven thirty to one thirty, they rest and have lunch. They continue to work until five in the afternoon, then they come back home. My mother (7) the animals again while my father (8) the buffalo shed and the chicken coop. They usually finish their work at about six thirty. Twice a week, my mother (9) the vegetables and eggs to the town market to sell them then she often buys the things we need for our daily life. She also (10).....me a small present each time.

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| 1. A. hard | B. hardly | C. harder | D. hardest |
| 2. A. on | B. off | C. up | D. in |
| 3. A. to have | B. having | C. have | D. had |
| 4. A. take | B. see | C. have | D. collect |
| 5. A. plant | B. water | C. grow | D. cut |
| 6. A. period | B. crop | C. time | D. harvest |
| 7. A. leads | B. feeds | C. gives | D. calls |
| 8. A. cleans | B. washes | C. polishes | D. clears |
| 9. A. makes | B. takes | C. carries | D. brings |
| 10. A. buying | B. buys | C. to buy | D. bought |

III. Choose the item among A, B, C or D. (Điền A, B, C, D)

Living in the country is something that people from the city often dream about. However, in reality, it has both advantages and disadvantages.

There are certainly many advantages to living in the country. First, you can enjoy peace and quietness. Moreover, people tend to be friendlier. A further advantage is that there is less traffic, so it is safer for young children.

However, there are certain disadvantages or drawbacks to life outside the city. First, because there are fewer people, you are likely to have few friends. In addition, entertainment is difficult to find, particularly in the evening. Furthermore, the fact that there are fewer shops and services means that it is hard to find jobs.

In short, it can be seen that the country is more suitable for some people than others. On the whole, it is often the best for those who are retired or who have young children. In contrast, young people who have a career are better provided in the city.

1. According to the passage, living in the country has
A. only good points
B. only bad points
C. both good and bad points
D. no disadvantages
2. How many advantages does living in the country have?
A. Two
B. Three
C. Four
D. No
3. Living in the country is safer for young children because
A. there is less traffic
B. there are few shops
C. there are fewer people
D. there are few services
4. Which of the following statements is NOT true according to the passage?
A. People in the country tend to be friendlier than people in the city.
B. It's hard to find entertainment in the country.
C. There are fewer shops and services in the country.
D. The country is only suitable for retired people.
5. Having few friends is
A. one of drawbacks to life in the country.
B. the only disadvantage to living in the country.
C. one of certain drawbacks to life outside the city.
D. one of certain advantages to life outside the city.