



## SPEAKING

**Task 1. Match the questions and answer. Then practice.**

1. Where do you want to go on your next holiday?		A. It is about 500km.
2. Really? Where is it?		B. I can get there by car.
3. What is it like?		C. I can spend my time enjoying cool weather with the magnificent stalactites.
4. What is special about it?		D. I want to go to Thien Duong Cave.
5. How far is it from Hanoi?		E. Stalactites in Paradise cave are in many multi-shapes.
6. How can you get there?		F. It is the most beautiful cave in Phong Nha Ke Bang area.
7. What can you do there?		G. It's in Quang Binh Province

**Task 2. Write the questions for the underlined words.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Mount Everest is the highest mountain in the world.
- \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The Grand Canyon is in Arizona, USA.
- \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The Atacama Desert receives 1 mm of rain per year.
- \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The Nile River is 6,650 kilometers long.
- \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Mt. Everest is over 60 million years old.

6. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Victoria Falls. Victoria Falls are twice as tall as Niagara Falls.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Thien Duong Cave was discovered in 2005.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Visitors can visit to Huong Pagoda by boat.



## LISTENING

**Task 1. Look at the pictures below and match them with the phrases given in the box**

**Mount Fansipan**

**Phu Quoc Island**

**Co To Island**

**Tam Dao Nation Park**

**Cuc Phuong National Park**

**Son Doong Cave**



A \_\_\_\_\_



B \_\_\_\_\_



C \_\_\_\_\_



D \_\_\_\_\_



E \_\_\_\_\_



F \_\_\_\_\_

**Task 2. Now listen and decide if the following statements are true (T) or false (F).**

1. It is 85km from Tam Dao to Hanoi center. ....
2. You can go to Tam Dao by airplane. ....
3. There is no church in Tam Dao. ....
4. Hill chicken is a special dish of Tam Dao. ....
5. The trip to Tam Dao is cheap. ....

**Task 3. Listen again and fill the blank with a missing word.**

Tam Dao is 85km far from Hanoi center. It takes (1) ..... hours to get there. You can go by motorbikes, cars, (2) ..... or taxis. Getting there, you can visit Tam Dao National Park, ancient church, Van (3) ....., Silver Waterfall, Sky Gate.



## READING

Task 1: Read and answer the questions.



Da Nang has a population of nearly 800,000 people. The Han River flows through the city. The city part on the east bank is the newest and more spacious. The city part on the west bank is more crowded. There are five bridges across the river. The Han River Bridge is the newest one now. The cost of living in Da Nang is the lowest in Central Vietnam. Da Nang has many beaches. Among them, Non Nuoc Beach is one of the beautiful beaches in the world. But walking in the street on a summer afternoon is not a good idea in Da Nang. There are not many trees so there are not many shadows. It is often very hot at noon.

1. What is the population of Da Nang?

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2. Which part of the city is more spacious?

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3. Which part of the city is more crowded?

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4. Which bridge is the newest?

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5. What is Non Nuoc Beach like?

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**Task 2: Read the following text and use the words given in the box to fill in the blanks**

means limestone as width found largest much

Son Doong cave is world's (1) \_\_\_\_\_ cave, located in Quang Binh province, Vietnam. It was (2) \_\_\_\_\_ by a local man named Ho Khanh in 1991 and was recently discovered in 2009 by British cavers, led by Howard Limbert. The name "Son Doong" cave (3) \_\_\_\_\_ "mountain river cave". The cave was created 2-5 million years ago by river water eroding away the (4) \_\_\_\_\_ underneath the mountain.

At about 9 kilometers in length, 200 meters in (5) \_\_\_\_\_ and 150 meters in height, Son Doong Cave is (6) \_\_\_\_\_ larger than Deer Cave in Malaysia and has replaced Deer Cave to take pole position (7) \_\_\_\_\_ the world's largest cave.

**Task 3: Read the following text and decide which answer best fits each numbered blank.**

The Ha Long Bay is (1) \_\_\_\_\_ in Quang Ninh Province in Vietnam. The name of the bay is roughly translated to descending dragon in Vietnamese. The bay is a UNESCO World Heritage (2) \_\_\_\_\_ and is lined by over a 1600 limestone islands and islets.

Legend has it that, when the Vietnamese were protecting their territory (3) \_\_\_\_\_ invaders, they offered prayers to their gods who then sent dragons as the protectors of the place. (4) \_\_\_\_\_ the invaders were approaching via sea, the dragons spat out Jewels creating islands that lined the bay and obstructed the ships and boats of the invaders.

Ha Long Bay is one of the (5) \_\_\_\_\_ popular tourist destinations and is visited by hundreds of thousands of tourists each year. You can opt for a (6) \_\_\_\_\_ cruise, that will take you as close to a lot of these islets.

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| 1. a. visited | b. located | c. followed | d. discovered |
| 2. a. Nature  | b. Sight   | c. Wonder   | d. Site       |
| 3. a. from    | b. with    | c. to       | d. by         |
| 4. a. What    | b. Where   | c. When     | d. Which      |
| 5. a. much    | b. many    | c. more     | d. most       |
| 6. a. train   | b. boat    | c. plane    | d. bus        |



## WRITING

## Task 1. Reorder the words to make the correct sentences

1. Quang Tri Province is hotter than any other areas in Vietnam

Quang Tri Province is \_\_\_\_\_

2. Ban Gioc Waterfall is the nicest waterfall river in Vietnam.

No other waterfall in Vietnam is \_\_\_\_\_

3. I've never seen such a wonderful waterfall before.

This is the \_\_\_\_\_

4. How high is Mount Everest?

What is \_\_\_\_\_

5. Shall we go to Ha Long Bay this weekend?

How about \_\_\_\_\_

## Task 2. Write 6 sentences about the picture.



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