

**A. PRONUNCIATION (1.0pt) Choose the word which has the underlined part pronounced differently from the rest.**

1. A. request                      B. arrest                      C. honest                      D. invest  
2. A. fortunate                      B. communicate                      C. indicate                      D. debate

**B. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY (3.5pts)**

**I. Choose A, B, C, or D that best completes each unfinished sentence.(2 pts)**

1. People tend to live in.....family which consists of parents and children.  
A. blended                      B. nuclear                      C. extended                      D. single-parent
2. Students should have their eyes ..... regularly.  
A. tested                      B. to test                      C. test                      D. testing
3. I .....to a party tomorrow night. Would you like to come too ?  
A. went                      B. have gone                      C. will go                      D. am going
4. While we .....football, it suddenly began to rain.  
A. were playing                      B. have played                      C. are playing                      D. play
5. My father is a ....., who is responsible for the family finances..  
A. breadwinner                      B. homemaker                      C. housewife                      D. cook
6. ....is the controller of the body. Led by the brain and nerves, it allows us to move, talk and feel emotions.  
A. Circulatory system                      B. Digestive system  
C. Nervous system                      D. Skeletal system
7. Before he joined our volunteer team, he felt his life was ..... Sometimes he thought it was ....  
A. bored/ meaningless                      B. boring/meaningless  
C. boring/meaningful                      D. bored/ meaningful
8. She was a pianist with potential,.....her parents persuaded her to complete her secondary school instead of immediately beginning a professional career.  
A. and                      B. or                      C. but                      D. so
9. His performance was so boring that it made me .....asleep.  
A. falling                      B. failed                      C. to fail                      D. fail.
10. Gandhi continued to fight.....the rights of poor people and women in India and became a hero for millions of people.  
A. of                      B. with                      C. for                      D. on

**II. Give correct form of verbs in brackets.(0.5 pts)**

1. I (**wait**) at the bus stop when I received his text message.  
2. Look at the clouds. I think it (**rain**).  
3. She (**not buy**) a new dress since last year.  
4. I didn't watch the film because I (**see**) it before.  
5. The cathedral (**build**) in the fourteenth century.

**III. Supply the correct form of the word in brackets. (1pt)**

1. Last year, she was really .....at English . She couldn't even start a word in English . Now her English is much better. (**hope**)  
2. There were 50 .....(**compete**) in the talent contest.  
3. Last year the Ministry of Education set up a nationwide educational programme for economically .....children. (**disadvantage**)