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Grade 8
Time allowance: 45 minutes

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PART A. PHONETICS

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

1. A. ancestor	B. diverse	C. ethnic	D. heritage	1_____
2. A. hunt	B. custom	C. multicultural	D. unique	2_____
3. A. shawl	B. gather	C. add	D. match	3_____
4. A. worked	B. watched	C. beloved	D. relaxed	4_____
5. A. generous	B. ger	C. grassland	D. guess	5_____

II. **Choose the word whose main stress is placed differently from that of the others**

1. A. protection	B. variety	C. industrial	D. national	1_____
2. A. nomad	B. paddy	C. robot	D. disturb	2_____
3. A. separate	B. ability	C. audience	D. minute	3_____
4. A. traditional	B. majority	C. appropriate	D. electrician	4_____
5. A. socialise	B. heritage	C. recognize	D. nomadic	5_____

PART B. USE OF ENGLISH

I. Choose the option that best completes each of the following sentences

1. ___Thai have ___population of over one million people, account for about 1.8% of ___Vietnamese population.

A. X/a/the B. the/a/the C. the/a/x D. X/the/a 1_____

2. My dad doesn't mind _____ my mom from work every day.

A. pick up B. picked up C. picking up D. picks up 2_____

3. Daisy is _____ social media. She spends lots of time on Facebook and Instagram.

A. tired of B. bored with C. addicted to D. curious about 3_____

4. Mongolian children start to learn _____ before they can walk.

A. horse riding B. riding horse C. ride horse D. horse ridden 4_____

5. The _____ house is a place where villagers gather for festival and rituals.

A. terraced B. detached C. communal D. thatched 5_____

6. _____ in terraced fields in the main economic activity of ethnic people on Sapa.

A. Fishing B. Rice cultivation C. Hunting D. Gathering 6_____

7. The highlands of northern Vietnam are home to the 1.5 million – strong Tay, _____ minority group.

A. Vietnam's largest B. the Vietnam's largest
C. a Vietnam's largest D. the largest Vietnam 7_____

8. It's raining _____ than it was yesterday.

A. more heavy B. a little heavier C. a little more heavily D. by far more heavy 8_____

9. 'Look at this dish, Nick. It has five colours.' '_____'

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A. How nice! B. What a shame! C. Sounds bad. D. Okay 9_____

10. 'I have two tickets to a Gong performance. Would you like to go?' ' _____ What time?

A. Sorry, I can't. B. Not very good C. Yes, I'd like that. D. Never mind 10_____

II. Use the correct form of the given word to complete each of the following sentences

1. Yoga _____in India and it is good for both your body and mind. **(ORIGINAL)** 1_____

2. If you exercise regularly, you will have less depression and _____ **(ANXIOUS)** 2_____

3. A business person travels more _____than a tourist. **(EXPENSE)** 3_____

4. Most ethnic _____in Vietnam speak their own languages. **(PERSON)** 4_____

5. You can taste some _____of the local people sold in Sapa's open-air markets. **(SPECIAL)** 5_____

6. Nowadays, people dress less____, so it's difficult to say which country they are from. **(TRADITION)** 6_____

7. I love the vast open spaces, the fresh air and the feeling of ___in the countryside. **(FREE)** 7_____

8. After school, Tom often goes to ____ center to play sports and do yoga. **(COMMUNALLY)** 8_____

9. Young women of each ethnic group in Vietnam have their own ___ and costumes. **(CHARACTER)** 9_____

10. The family has the important function of _____ children. **(SOCIABLE)** 10_____

III. Find ONE preposition to fill in each blank.

1. From the pie chart, watching TV takes _____ 55 percent of the leisure time that students spend _____ an average day.

2. I admit that I am _____ Kpop and always have a soft spot _____ Black Pink's songs.

3. In today's world, teenagers rely _____ technology more than in the past.

4. Using the computer as your hobby can be harmful _____ both your health and your social life.

5. Nick would like to visit the countryside _____ harvest time,

6. Rice is loaded _____ a buffalo-drawn cart to transport it home.

7. Our houses are better equipped _____ electric fans and TVs.

8. I felt quite excited as the plane took _____ from Heathrow airport.

IV. Provide the correct form of the verb in bracket to complete each of the following sentence

1. I ____(not listen) to their new CD yet. Is it any good? 1_____

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2 -3. Facebook ____(found) in 2004 by Mark Zuckerberg; however, 2_____

he _____(plan) to change its name this week. 3_____

4. Please try _____(arrive) punctually at 8.30. 4_____

5-6. Many teenagers prefer _____(watch) TV to _____(read) books. 5_____

6_____

7. Could you meet me at the airport tomorrow? My flight _____(arrive) at six. 7_____

8. Next month, I ____be 15 years old. 8_____

PART C. READING

I. Find ONE suitable word to fill in each blank. The first letter is given as a clue.

Nowadays, some people choose to live and work in the countryside. New (1) w_____ of living, such as online working, distance learning, have made it (2) p_____ for more people to live there. There are both advantages and (3) d_____ to living in the countryside.

On the one (4) h_____, life in the countryside is very peaceful. There are less cars and that means there is less noise and polluted. (5) F_____, there is more land available in the countryside, and people can often live in bigger houses or flats than in cities. Finally, it is easier to do a lot of (6 o_____ activities such as walking or cycling if you live in the countryside. On the other hand, life in the countryside can be boring. There are (7) f_____ restaurants, cinemas and shops to go to. Moreover, there is little public (8) t_____, which makes it difficult to get around if you don't have a car. Finally, you can feel isolated if you live long way from other people or in (9) r_____ areas.

In (10) c_____, there are both pros and cons to living in the countryside. However, in my opinion, the peacefulness of the countryside makes it a very attractive option.

1._____	2. _____	3. _____	4. _____	5. _____
6._____	7. _____	8. _____	9. _____	10_____

II. Read the following passage and choose the correct answer

The latest addiction to trap thousands of people is the Internet, which has been blamed for broken relationships, job losses, financial ruin, and even suicide. Psychologists now recognize Internet Addition Syndrome (IAS) as a new illness that could cause serious problems and ruin many lives.

IAS is similar to other problems like gambling, smoking and drinking: addicts have dreams about the Internet; they need to use IT first thing in morning; they lie to their parents and partners about how much time they spent online; they wish they could put down, but are unable to do so. A recent study found that many users spend up to 40 hours a week on the Internet. Some of the addicts are teenagers who are already hooked on computer games and who find it very difficult to resist the games on the Internet.

1. What is the best title of the passage?

A. The advantage of the Internet. B. Hooked on the Net

C. Impact of Internet on teens D. A guide to the Internet 1_____

2. According to the writer, internet addiction _____.

A. is not the same as gambling. B. is not an illness.

C. can lead to financial problems. D. helps people kill time. 2_____

3. Internet addicts find it hard_____.

A. to use the Internet in the morning. B. to lie about the time they spent online.

C. to spend more time on the Internet. D. to spend less time on the Internet 3_____

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4. The word 'IT' in paragraph 2 refers to_____.

A. the Internet B. IAS C. dream D. computer 4_____

5. Which of the following is NOT true?

A. IAS is recognized as a new illness.

B. Internet addictions can cause suicide behaviours.

C. Many internet addicts spend more than 40 hours a week online.

D. Teenagers who are hooked on computer games can suffer from IAS. 5_____

PART D. WRITING

I. Complete the second sentence using the word given so that it has a similar meaning to the first one. Do not change the word given

1. I find romantic film more interesting than war films. **(INTEREST)**

→ Romantic films _____

2. I do yoga three times a week, but my sister does it almost every day. **(FREQUENTLY)**

→ My sister _____

3. 'Let's go to my uncle's farm at the weekend', said Amy **(SUGGESTED)**

→ Amy _____

4. It is the most convenient room that I have ever experienced. **(SUCH)**

→ I _____

5. In spite of the bad weather, the match still took place. **(PREVENT)**

→ The bad weather _____

II. Rearrange the following words or phrases to make meaningful sentences

1. sticky/ Five-coloured/ parts/ of/ special/ dish/ rice/ is/ a/ in/ many/ Vietnam. (12 words/ phrases)

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2. exercise/ risk/ to/ helps/ the/ reduce/ Regular/ of /obesity. (9 words)

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3. Among/ people/ have/ minorities, / the/ the/ largest/ ethnic/ Tay/ the/ population. (11 words)

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4. Hoa Ban Festival/ which/ takes/ interesting/ festival, / place/ is/ the/ most/ in/ beautiful/ and/ Lai Chau. (13 words and phrases)

→.....

5. rely/ Nowadays/ on/ the/ teenagers/ technology/ the/ than/ in/ past. (10 words)

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THE END

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