



C. READING



IX Choose the correct option A, B, C or D for each gap in the passage.

We had finally finished the school year and Trang asked me (1) to Da Nang by train with her. I thought that it was dangerous to go (2) ourselves since we were just fifteen. But Trang was confident that she could take me there (3) Moreover, our parents were (4) busy to go with us, so they were happy to (5) us go. They even took us to Hanoi Station and left us there with all the luggage and tickets. I was still (6) that we would get lost, but Trang was pleased (7) to go on her own. We both felt that it was more convenient to go by night train (8) we could sleep during the night. When we arrived, I was astonished that the city was very different (9) what I saw five years earlier, and I was (10) relieved that we had arrived safe and sound as she promised.

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| 1. A. go | B. to go | C. going | D. went |
| 2. A. by | B. on | C. with | D. for |
| 3. A. safe | B. safety | C. safely | D. unsafe |
| 4. A. so | B. such | C. enough | D. too |
| 5. A. allow | B. permit | C. let | D. force |
| 6. A. happy | B. relieved | C. worried | D. confident |
| 7. A. to allow | B. to be allowed | C. allow | D. be allowed |
| 8. A. as | B. because | C. since | D. All are correct |
| 9. A. with | B. for | C. from | D. as |
| 10. A. so | B. such | C. enough | D. too |

X Read the passage and answer the following questions.

Adolescence is a transitional stage of physical and psychological development that generally occurs during the period from puberty to legal adulthood. This is a vital part of life. This is also a very critical period of life. In adolescent girls and boys, both are floating in a colorful and fantasy

world. So everything seems colorful to them. That's why they may go astray. Adolescence is a time of risks. Unlimited freedom brings disasters for them. They rush to the path of destruction without knowing the consequence. Adolescent is a young person who is developing from a child to an adult. Adolescents are vulnerable to various diseases. They may be addicted to alcohol, cigarettes and other drugs which may cause them deadly diseases. They are also in danger of sexual relationship which will lead them to intentional and unintentional injuries, unintended pregnancies, and sexually transmitted infections including Human Immunodeficiency Virus popularly known as HIV. Many of them also face a wide range of adjustment and mental health problems. That is why, it is necessary to be very careful about the diseases that can be life threatening. It is essential to teach them that addiction to alcohol, cigarettes and other drugs may destroy their life. Moreover, they should be given religious teaching besides general education about physical relationships. They should be practical examples of what may happen due to unsafe sexual relationships.

• **Answer the questions:**

1. What is adolescence?

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2. Why do both boys and girls may go astray in adolescence age?

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3. Who are adolescents?

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4. What do the adolescents may addicted?

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5. How can adult do to prevent those situations?

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