

Grade 8- Unit 5- Review

I. Choose the correct answer

1. Vietnamese people have the tradition of.....their ancestors.
A. preserving B. reflecting C. worshipping D. commemorating
2. The festival.....place in the first lunar month.
A. makes B. takes C. holds D. organizes
3. You should pay.....when you cross the street
A. attention B. location C. preservation D. concentration
4. The main purpose of the festival is to _____ their heroes like Po Klong Garai and Po Rome.
A. preserve B. see C. commemorate D. reflect
5. According to the M'Nong's custom, the New Rice _____ is usually held in the evening.
A. ritual B. habit C. ceremony D. occasion
6. The Christian Festival of Easter celebrates the return of Christ from the dead, _____ the festival is actually named after the goddess of the sun.
A. if B. yet C. however D. or
7. I couldn't hear what he said _____ the crowd was shouting.
A. because B. although C. in spite of D. while
8. It will be a great _____ for you to improve your speaking skill.
A. occasion B. opportunity C. procession D. reflection
9. You must study harder; _____, you will fail this important exam.
A. unless B. if C. otherwise D. moreover
10. We have many special traditional festivals; _____, visitors can enjoy diverse cultures.
A. otherwise B. nevertheless C. therefore D. moreover
11. _____! I am so excited.
A. What amazing festival B. What an amazing festival
C. How an amazing festival D. How amazing is the festival

II. Complete with ONE preposition

1. My family doesn't have the custom.....eating Moon cake in Mid- Autumn festival.

2-3. Many youngsters break.....Tet traditiontravelling during Tet holiday.

4-5. People often pray.....good fortunethe first day of a lunar month.

6. New clothes are boughtthis special occasion.

7. The contestants participate.....the procession.

III. Choose the correct answer

1. She felt sad _____ she failed the written exam.

2. I couldn't sleep _____ I was very tired.

3. It's raining cats and dogs, _____ we went out for dinner.

4. Tet is the biggest festival; _____, we look forward to it.

5. We will cancel the trip _____ it rains tomorrow.

6. He is very poor, _____ he can't buy any new clothes.

7. He made a careful preparation. _____, he failed to get it.

8. I have lived in Da Lat for a long time, _____ I don't know many famous places here.

9. Chung cake is very tasty; _____, it is typical type of cake for festivals.

10. You can get there by airplane, _____ it is a bit costly

IV. Rewrite sentences without changing its meaning.

1. The water is highly polluted, so we cannot swim in this river.

Because _____

2. The TV program will end. I'll do my homework.

After _____

3. She was cooking. Her phone rang. (**while**)

While _____

4. This festival is very interesting, but I don't want to take part in.

Despite _____, I don't want to take part in.

5. People held a rice-cooking festival in the communal house last month.

A rice-cooking _____ last month

6. It is not important for you to send the confirmation letter.

You don't have _____ the confirmation letter.

7. How far is it from the communal house to your school?

What's the _____

8. Unless he phones, please notify me.

If he _____, please notify me.

9. What a hard job this is!

How _____

V. Correct ONE mistake.

1. While I came, her grandmother was telling her a fairy tale.

A B C D

2. I will tell him the truth when he will tell me.

A B C D

3. We (A) don't have many carnivals (B) in Vietnam, (C) however we have many (D) traditional festivals.

4. Her voice is beautiful; moreover, she wouldn't win the competition.

A B C D

5. (A) Despite most people book tickets long (B) in advance, they can not (C) return home (D) before Tet.

6. (A) During Hung King festival, there are a (B) vary of (C) joyful activities (D) such as bamboo swings, lion dances, etc.

7. (A) Although the festival (B) held in two days, it (C) left many good impressions (D) on international tourists.

8. (A) What fantastic the game show (B) was. I (C) couldn't take my eyes (D) off the screen.

VI. Listening



The Mid-Autumn festival dates back to the Rice Civilization of the Red River delta, over (1) _____ years ago. It is fantastic and charming with its history. It is held on the 15th day on the 8th lunar month in the middle of autumn and it is (2) _____ for a whole day. On this day, the

adults and the parents prepare many different foods: Moon cakes, candies, biscuits, and fruit. Moon cakes are the specific cakes and are only for this festival. Moon cake, which is made from flour, meat, (3)_____, dried fruit, pumpkin's seed, peanut. It's so sweet and (4)_____. Everyone says: "How (5)_____ Moon cakes are!" after tasting them and can't say no to them. Moon cakes symbolize Luck, Happiness, (6)_____ and Wealth on the Mid- Autumn day. Besides that, the children are (7)_____ with many nice lanterns- star lanterns, flower lanterns and (8)_____ funny masks such as clown mask, lion mask, prince or princess mask for the special (9)_____ in the evening of the full moon. The Mid-Autumn celebration is an (10)_____ for members of the family to visit each other and (11)_____ everything together. The autumn is the time of the beginning of the new school year, so the adults and parents give (12)_____ to the children.