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Homework Zoom – Lesson : Impersonal passive

I. Match the names of some wonders of Viet Nam with their descriptions. Write the answer in each blank.

A. Hoi An Ancient Town **B. Thien Mu Temple** **C. Ha Long Bay**
D. Cu Chi Tunnels **E. Son Doong Cave** **F. Hue Imperial City**

Some Wonders of Viet Nam

1, Nearly 2000 limestone islands and islets push up from the bay, creating a fascinating natural wonder.

2. It was the seat of Viet Nam's last dynasty from 1802 to 1945.

3. This central Viet Nam town is best known for its silk lanterns that colorfully glow at night, and for the picturesque old buildings lining the river. It used to be a busy international trading port.

4. This remote northern mountainous region of Vietnam boasts photogenic rice terraces as well as ethnic tribes.

5.The vast network was used effectively during the Vietnam War for soldiers to live and store weapons. Today they are a major tourist attraction for Saigon visitors.

6. The seven-story pagoda dates back to 1605. It belongs to a complex, which also has shrines and gardens. The religious site overlooks the Perfume River.

7. It is the world's biggest cave and wasn't discovered until 2009. A 40-story building could fit into its tallest room. There are controversial plans to construct a cable car system through this natural wonder.

II.-Fill in each blank in the sentences with the correct word from the box.

geological	***setting***	***complex***	***rickshaw***
limes stone	***fishing***	***architectural***	***biodiversity***

1. Like a local, you should take an afternoon _____ ride through the bustling streets of Ha Noi's Old Quarter.
2. We can continue our journey and explore the fascinating Cua Van floating _____ village in Ha Long Bay.
3. With outstanding _____ values, Ha Long Bay was recognized as the world natural heritage site twice in 1994 and 2000.
4. Ha Long Bay is also home to high_____with typical eco-systems and thousands of fauna and flora species.
5. Located in the_____mountains of Phong Nha - Ke Bang National Park, Son Doong Cave was explored by a group of scientists from British Cave Research Association.
6. The Hue Citadel, which is a _____ of monuments, has been officially recognized by the UNESCO as a World Heritage Site.
7. Hue is placed in a wonderful _____: the Ngu Binh Mountain in the south, the sand dunes of Con Hen and Con Da Vien on the Perfume River as "dragon on the left, tiger on the right" to protect the citadel.
8. Most of the buildings in Hoi An. which reflect the traditional _____style of the 18^{lh} and 19th centuries, are carefully preserved.

III.- Find the mistakes and correct them

1. It reported that the storm had destroyed more than 100 houses in that area. _____
2. People are thought that travelling is very costly. _____
3. It was claimed that there will be financial support for the homeless. _____
4. Did it said that the building was reconstructed in 1967? _____
5. Do people believed that learning is a lifetime journey? _____
6. They aren't believe that they will lose the competition. _____
7. Was it rumor last year that Jane set off for Paris and never returned? _____
8. It is claimed by the authorities last year that they would help the poor. _____

IV.- Here are some things we hear about Po Nagar Cham Towers. Write sentences about it, using the impersonal passive with the verbs given in brackets.

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1.The site of Po Nagar Cham Towers was first used for worship as early as the 2nd century AD. (think)

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2. The original wooden structure was destroyed by the Javanese in AD 774. (believe)

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3. It was replaced by a stone-and-brick temple in 784. (say)

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4. Yang Ino Po Nagar ruled over the southern part of the Cham kingdom. (consider)

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5. A gold sculpture in the North Tower was taken away by Khmer raiders in 918. (claim)

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6. The stone statue of the goddess Uma Mahishasuramardini was later placed in the North Tower in 965. (believe)

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7. The Central Tower was built partly of recycled bricks in the 12th century on the site of a structure dating from the 7th century. (think)

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8. The South Tower was dedicated to the god Shiva. (know)

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V.- Read the text, and identify whether the statements arc true (T), or false (F).

Hue Festival: A Revival of the Past Folk Life

In every Hue Festival, the city seeks to encourage the celebration of these traditional practices and customs, by holding a lot of events to revive and enliven these invisible and intangible values. It's not only a performance or a revival but a reminder of how people have lived, worked and enjoyed life, as well.

Kite-flying Festival

During one week of the biannual festival. Hue's sky is beautifully colorized by gently flying objects called kite. Kite-flying is a popular activity among children in Viet Nam, with kites ofvarious colors and shapes. Throughout the sunny and windy summer days, it's easy to catch the sight of Ngo Mon Square becoming the kite-flying land. Tourists will surely be fascinated by special kites of artisans such as a 100m dragon kite, or flying a kite themselves.

Phuoc Tich Village

Phuoc Tich Village is a big astonishment to experts. There are 27 old houses that have survived rain, harsh sunshine, poverty and historical changes. The museum of "ruong" houses (typically Vietnamese house architecture), in addition to its historical and architectural values, is also an address to learn how life in the countryside used to be.

If Hoi An was a commercial port town in the early 16th century. Phuoc Tich is a perfect model of a village in Northern Central Vietnam, composed of communal houses, pagodas, temples, clans' altar houses, village wells, century-old trees and gardens.

T or F ?

1.The events are held to revive the traditions and customs in the present style.

2. Huefestival is held every two years.

3.Kite-flying festivals take place in several places in Hue because it is very popular to local people.

4.Kites in Hue are of different colours, shapes, and sizes.

5.Old houses in Hue are very durable.

6. The museum of "ruong" houses represents the characteristics of Hue Citadel.

7. Phuoc Tich and Hoi An share the same historical and architectural values.

8. When you come to Phuoc Tich Village, you can see many aspects of past life in Northern Central Viet Nam.

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