

## LESSON 11 - UNIT 4: LIFE IN THE PAST

**Ex 1. Supply the correct forms of the words given in bold complete the sentences.**

1. You have to use your \_\_\_\_\_ when you read the story. **(IMAGINE)**
2. High school students used to take the high school \_\_\_\_\_ examinations.  
**(GRADUATE)**
3. I think corporal \_\_\_\_\_ is how prohibited in schools. **(PUNISH)**
4. All of us were surprised by his strange \_\_\_\_\_ at the party. **(BEHAVE)**
5. At present, students at the school take part in some 50 to 60 \_\_\_\_\_ games spread over the week. **(TRADITION)**
6. The former university \_\_\_\_\_ exams with two sessions used to last one week.  
**(ENTER)**
7. The photo brought back many happy memories of my \_\_\_\_\_. **(CHILD)**
8. I think riding a bicycle is \_\_\_\_\_, especially when it rains.  
**(CONVENIENCE)**
9. The image of an old lady with the traditional Ao dai on a rickshaw on her way back from market is still so \_\_\_\_\_ for Vietnamese people. **(MEAN)**
10. Tom says he can't put up with Mary's \_\_\_\_\_ any longer. **(ATTEND)**

**Ex 2. Choose the best one (A, B, C or D) to complete the sentence or replace the underlined word.**

1. I wish he \_\_\_\_\_ to me more often.  
A. writes                      B. wrote                      C. have written                      D. is writing
2. A postman comes once a day to \_\_\_\_\_ from the post box.  
A. bring                      B. get                      C. take                      D. collect
3. I wish he \_\_\_\_\_ more time now to help you with your lesson.  
A. have                      B. had                      C. would have                      D. had had
4. People in Bac Ninh province believe that if the tug-of-war team facing the east wins, it will bring bumper crops and good luck, and that the situation will be just the \_\_\_\_\_ if the team facing the west wins.  
A. different                      B. same                      C. other                      D. apposite
5. "He has to work 12 hours every day" " \_\_\_\_\_ "

A. Sure

B. How cool!

C. I can't imagine that

D. I wish I could go back to that time.

6. Traditional games \_\_\_\_\_ as an effective but simple educational method of centuries.

A. were used

B. used to used

C. had used

D. have been used

7. Money \_\_\_\_\_ buying or selling goods.

A. use

B. is used to

C. is used for

D. used to

8. We all \_\_\_\_\_ it were the weekend tomorrow.

A. hope

B. think

C. wish

D. want

9. The English men are not used \_\_\_\_\_ on the right hand side of the street.

A. to drive

B. for driving

C. to driving

D. drive

10. The folk \_\_\_\_\_ of top spinning still attracts city children despite the popularity of modern games as bowling, skateboarding, billiards and video games.

A. pastime

B. ceremony

C. activity

D. enjoyment

**Ex 3. Choose the best option A, B, c or D to complete the passage.**

It's hard to believe that (1) \_\_\_\_\_ had computers a few years ago. I wonder how people lived. There must have been a lot of (2) \_\_\_\_\_. I can't imagine writing everything by hand. I also wonder how everything worked (3) \_\_\_\_\_ computers. We need computers today for everything. Hospitals, airports, the police... nothing can work without computers. I'm sure I'd be ten times busier than now if I didn't have a computer. Imagine having to find (4) \_\_\_\_\_ paper and an envelope and then walking down the street to mail a letter! I love my computer. It makes everything in my life so (5) \_\_\_\_\_. Sure, it freezes and crashes sometimes. Sure I lose some data. But that's not often. Most of the time my computer is like my best friend.

1. A. no one

B. any one

C. someone

D. no body

2. A. paperworks

B. work paper

C. paperwork

D. paper work

3. A. with

B. without

C. by

D. in

4. A. pieces of

B. a piece

C. piece of

D. a piece of

5. A. convenient

B. convenience

C. inconvenient

D. inconvenience