BÀI KIỂM TRA GIỮA HỌC KỲ I
NÂNG CAO (SỐ 2)

(Dành cho học sinh khá, giỏi)
Thời gian: 60 phút

I. Write the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first one, beginning with the given words or phrases. (1 point)

1. Mary is sorry; she isn't on the beach now.

   Mary wishes .....

2. He drank much milk when he was a baby boy.

   He used to .....

3. Ms. Huong has written a lot of articles for the Viet Nam News.

   A lot of .....

4. Nam and his family went on a trip to their home village for two days.

   Nam and his family had .....

5. I started to play the piano ten years ago.

   I have .....

II. Choose the best answer to complete these sentences. (1 point)

1. In Malaysia, Islam is the country's official... .

   A. language B. religion C. federation D. region

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2. Many Vietnamese women today prefer to wear modern clothing at work because of its ....

A. material B. fashion C. label D. convenience

3. Wearing uniforms helps students feel ... in many ways.

A. equal B. different C. comfortable D. casual

4. In the 1990s, the sale of jeans stopped because the worldwide ... situation got worse.

A. economy B. economical

C. economically D. economic

5. Mrs. Brown works ... at a grocery store in a nearby town.

A. part times B. parts-time

C. part-time D. part-times

6. The old man asked her to move because he ... on that chair.

A. used to sit B. was used to sit

C. used to sitting D. was used to sitting

7. He borrowed some money from his brother, ... he could finish his education.

A. that B. in order C. so D. so as

8. Bob's been ... work for six months now.

A. on B. out of C. over D. under

9. What ... earth have you done with that paper?

A. of B. at C. on D. above

10. Today the laser has thousands of uses, but when it ... it was a difficult tool to use.

A. was first invented B. first invented

C. had first invented D. was invented first

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III Find and correct the mistake in each of the following sentences. (1 point)

1. The thief sent to prison for ten years.

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2. He was one person I didn't want to see him.

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3. You must have your mark sheet fill in by the examiner during the Speaking exam.

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4. I wish you will stop doing that

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5. The whole family told the news last night.

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IV. Put a suitable preposition in each blank in the sentences. (2 points)

1. Having a balanced diet is the key ..... a healthy lifestyle.
2. At the Hi-tech Fair, there is a wide selection of computers ..... display.
3. The party last night, ... which I made a speech, was enjoyable.
4. I am going out for a walk. I have read too long, ... early morning.
5. - What's the matter ..... you?

   - I've caught a terrible cold.
6. The dentist talked ..... me ..... my toothache.
7. The mother seemed worried ..... her little son. He was too small to take care ..... himself.
8. Life ..... laughter would be very dull.

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V. *Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets to complete the following sentences.* (2 points)

When I was a girl, my parents sent me to a strict school. They (**1**. *have to*) ..... buy me an expensive uniform and pay school fees for me. Our headmistress, Miss Prim never (**2**. *smile*) ..... . She explained the school rules to us and (**3**. *expect*) ..... us to obey them. "I will never say anything to you twice," she (**4**. *use to*) ..... say. We had to write our parents a letter once a week and (**5**. *show*) ..... it to Miss Prim before we sent it. I can still remember some of the school rules. We were not allowed to lend anyone anything. We (**6**. *not allow*) ..... to give help to each other with homework. We had to report unusual situations to the headmistress. One morning, during assembly, a girl (**7**. *faint*) ..... The next morning, two more fainted. This continued (**8**. *happen*) ..... for several mornings. Mass hysteria had set in! But Miss Prim put an end to it. She (**9**. *announce*) ..... a new rule to us: "No girl (**10**. *faint*) ..... in college!" And after that, no one did!

VI. *Put the jumbled letters in brackets into words to complete these sentences.* (1 point)

1. I've (*dareh*) ..... that Fun world Park charges $40 admission per person.
2. It will take him time to get (*vevo*) ..... her and find someone else.
3. At the age of 82, she is making her final (*nepecarapa*) ..... before she retires.

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4. The star received his *(gaard)* ..... at the ceremony, to loud applause from the audience.
5. Their negative *(memonets)* ..... hurt his feelings and in the end they got him down so much that he left.

VII. Write suitable questions for these answers. (2 points)

1. No, I live with my family.
2. Yes, I'm going to do the exam in June.
3. No, I won't be at home then.
4. Yes, I've been learning it for a few years.
5. No, I haven't, but I'd like to try it.
6. Yes, I did. I had really good time there.
7. No, I haven't. I've never done this work before.
8. Yes, I used to. But that was a long time ago.
9. No. Not unless she says she's sorry.
10. Yes, I would. In fact I'd love to go there.

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