UNIT 5 : FESTIVALS IN VIETNAM **GRADE 8**

A. Pronunciation:

I. Choose the word which has a different sound in the part underlined.

1. A. youth	B. cloth	C. bathe	D. month
2. A. museum	B. situation	C. regulation	D. customer
3. A. stroll	B. oversea	C. remove	D. go
4. A. lucky	B. structure	C. Push	D. struggle

II. Choose the word which has a different stress pattern from the others.

1. A. competition	B. invitation	C. Nation	D.conservation
2. A. librarian	B.bamboo	C. develop	D. cultural
3. A. festival	B. resource	C. station	D. history
4. A. statue	B. important	C. devote	D. begin

B. Grammar and vocabularies.

I. Choose A, B, C, D for each gap in the following sentences.

1. You_____ miss any of the meetings. They're always very useful.

A. needn't B. should C. shouldn't D. can

2. She is famous _____ her intelligence. She designs many special styles for *Ao dai*.

A. in B. for C. with D. into

3. When having meals with a Britain family, you should never chew with your _____open.

A. hand B. eye C. finger D. mouth

4. My sister has been living in Da Lat for two years; _____, she has never been to Than Tho Lake.

A. however B. although C. if D. because

5. _____ you study harder, you won't be able to pass the examination.

A. Unless B. Because C. If D. Without

6. We _____wear uniform at school from Monday to Saturday. That's good way and equal to everyone.

A. have to B. haven't to C. could D. must

7. The Xoe dance is a_____ tradition of Thai ethnic people.

A. physical B. spiritual C. material D. practical

8. We do not have many carnivals in Viet Nam; _____, we have many special traditional festivals.

A. moreover B. while C. nevertheless D. although

II.There are six mistakes in this letter. Find and correct them.

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Hello Mi,

I'm so excited about your trip. It's going to be amazing. I **shouldn't** give you some advice, so you can prepare for Japan.We have lots of customs and it can get a bit of confusing for visitors.

Firstly, you **has** to take off your shoes when you go inside. You **shouldn't** wear slippers in the house- but you **didn't** have to bring any, we have extra pairs for guests. Then you **have** use different slippers in the bathroom and in the garden, but you'll get used to it! You **should** worry- I'll be there to help you.

All for now, gotta go….

Erix

C. Reading

I. Read the following passage and complete it.

Tet is celebrated on the first day (1) _____ the Lunar New Year. Some weeks before the New Year, the Vietnamese (2) _____ their houses and paint the wall. New clothes are brought (3) _____ the occasion. One or two days (4) _____ the festival, people make *Chung* cake, (5) _____ is the traditional cake. On the New Year's Eve, the whole family gets together for a dinner. On the New Year morning, all the (6) __ ___of the family respect to the elders by beautiful words. In return, they receive lucky money
(7) ____ in red tiny envelopes. Then people go to (8) _____ their neighbours, friends and relatives.

II. Read the passage and answer the questions:

1. When do people make Chung cake?

→ ……...

2. What do they do on the New Year's Eve?

→ ……..

D. WRITING:

I. Combine each pair of sentences using the words given in brackets.

1. Peter and Phong are happy to join the procession. It is going to rain.
(***however/nevertheless)***

→ ……...

2. Nick wanted to travel around Viet Nam to take pictures of festivals. He started to save money. (***therefore)***

→ ……..

3. You can go to the Giong Festival. You can go to the Huong Pagoda Festival.
(otherwise)

→ ……..

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4. At the Ooc om bok we float beautiful paper lanterns on the river. We also hold thrilling dragon boat races.

(moreover)

→ ……..

II. Rewrite the following sentences so that their meaning stays the same, using the words given. (0.5p)

1. Vietnamese students are obligated to wear uniforms when they go to school.

HAVE

→ ……..

2. You are not allowed to use your mobile phone on the plane.

MUSTN'T

→ ……..

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